

## AFTAC

### MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Air Force Technical Application Center (AFTAC) is to operate and maintain the United States Atomic Energy Detection System (AEDS), using scientific means to obtain and evaluate technical data on the nuclear energy activities of foreign powers. AFTAC also conducts research and development to improve AEDS capabilities, and applies AEDS resources and capabilities to other suitable purposes of the United States Government. AFTAC is responsible for establishing Air Force policy for the execution of the AEDS mission.